DRY ADVOCATES HARMONIZE ON ANTI-BOOZE BILL TO BE ENACTED than three months or more than one

New Measure Less Stringent tories from taxation for a period or six years from their establishment, Senator Clark's.

DATE FIXED UPON IS OCTOBER OF NEXT YEAR

Is Not Prohibited, and In-

(By R. L. D. McAllister, Staff Corre-

in New Mexico have gotten together on a constitutional amendment for thought that the court should be submission to a vote of the people, allowed to pass on the question. which, while not entirely satisfactory to any of them, will receive the support of all of them. The first defi- was carried by a vote of twentynite step toward its adoption was nine to seventeen, and the bill was taken this afternoon by the report of had the results been announced, the bill originated, follows: a substitute for the McDonald and however, when a message was re-clark resolutions, and all signs point regived from the senate that the to a vigorous fight from now on until the compromise resolution is passed by both branches of the legislature.

Conferences between prohibition leaders have been numerous during the last few days, and so wide a conflict of opinion has been evident at these conferences that for a time it placed on its passage the motion of the conference of the confer these conferences that for a time it placed on its passage the motion quality, or of personal fitness, but seemed impossible that the different stood 23 to 23. Speaker Liewellyn would operate in most cases merely elements could ever get together. cast the deciding vote in its favor, as a penalty for lack of opportunity This morning, however, the compro-mise resolution was submitted at a conference held in the supreme court ing received a two-thirds vote in mise resolution was submitted at a ernor de Baca's signature. Not haveonference held in the supreme court ing received a two-thirds vote in room and all present agreed to support it. This resolution was put in the form of a substitute for two of emergency clause as originally prothe prohibition resolutions now pendand was reported from the committee on constitutional amendments It was first read in full and then read constitutional amendment a second time by title, and on mo-tion of Sensity (Tlate the mejority floor leader, was made a special or-der for next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at which time it undoubtedly will be passed by the senate.

Situation in House. The house all along has been considered the stumbling block to prohi-lition legislation at this session, but than enough votes to put the resolution across, if necessary under suspension of the rules without referring it to committee. In fact, there seems to be a disposition on the part of prohibitionists to fight shy of any committee for fear that amendments may be reported which would greatly weaken, if not actually emasculate, the resolution, and now that all the different varieties of prohibitionists have gotten together they do not want to run the risk of being torn apart again, as would surely be the case if any material amendment to the

The substitute resolution reported today is less stringent than the Mc-Donald resolution and more stringent than the Clark resolution. It fixes the date when prohibition shall go into effect as October 1, 1918; omits the change of venue clause and the clause prohibiting personal use of alcoholic liquor, and also permits the giving away of such liquor. The penalty imposed by the resolution is to remain only until legislative action is taken changing it.

Text of Resolution.

pending measure should be reported

The text of the substitute resolu-tion is as follows:

"Be it resolved by the legislature of the state of New Mexico: "That the constitution of the state of New Mexico be, and it is hereby, emended by adding thereto a new article to be numbered and designated as Article XXIII, Intoxicating Li-

quors, as follows: "ARTICLE XXIII,

"Intoxicating Liquors.
"Section 1. On and after the first day of October, A. D. Nineteen Hunored and Eighteen, no person, asso-ciation or corporation shall within this state manufacture for sale, barter or gift any ardent spirits, ale beer, alcohol, wine or liquor of any whatsoever containing alcohol, ration shall import into this state any of such liquors or beverages for sale barter or gift; and no person, asco-clation or corporation shall, within this state, sell or barter, or keep for sale or barter, any of such liquors or beverages, or offer any such liquors or beverages for sale, barter or trade provided nothing in this section shall their attacks against the Turks on be held to apply to denatured or wood the Irak front in Asiatic Turkey last alcohol or grain alcohol when intend-ed and used for medicinal, mechanical or scientific purposes only, or to addition met with repulse, a London wine when intended and used for sac-

vided by law, any person violating of Turkish first and second line any of the provisions of Section one trenches southwest of Kut-el-Amara (1) of this article shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars, or shall be imprisoned in the county tall for not.

Representatives of the entente alprisoned in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than lies have arrived in Petrograd for a six months, or both such fine and war council. of said section such person shall be punished by fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, and shall be imprisoned in the county jail or state penitentiary for a term of not less with troops," is reported to have sunk within ten minutes,

THE WEATHER

WEATHER FORECAST, Denver, Jan. 29.—New Mexico: Tuesday fair, colder east portion: Wednesday generally fair.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT. p. m. yesterday:

Maximum temperature, 67 degrees: minimum, 17; range, 50; temperature ot 6 p. m., 47; west wind; clear.

Exemption Bill Passes,

A bill to exempt new sugar fac tories from taxation for a period of Than That Proposed by Mo- which was introduced concurrently in the house and senate in the early Donald and More So Than days of the session, had its ups and downs today, but finally, thanks to the persistence of Mr. Gonzales of Dona Ana, one of the authors of the bill, emerged victorious by the narrowest possible margin. When the house bill was first re-

ported from committee, several days ago, Mr. Pardue raised the object tion that it was unconstitutional, and Importation for Personal Use it was recommitted. Today it came back from the committee on judiciary with an adverse report, the toxicants Can Be Given report being expressly based on the alleged unconstitutionality of the Away Without Breaking Law measure. The motion to adopt the adverse report met with stubborn opposition, lead by Mr. Gonzales who declared that he had consulted spond(nt.)
Santa Fe, Jan. 29.—Apparently the matter and found that they difadvocates of state wide prohibition fered as to the constitutionality of the question. For that reason he

> adopt the report of the committee suspension of the rules in order to tion that the literacy test constitutes take up the senate bill. The moeither house, it will not carry the vided.

Would Abolish Legislature Mr. Overson of McKi: of the house cor Lewis of Chaves,

of the state.

The bill undertakes to amend the constitution by legislative enactment, dry leaders in that body, democrats and republicans alike, declare that they have canvassed the situation thoroughly and that they have more thoroughly and that they have more

FIGHTING NEAR RIGA IS STOPPED BY SNOW STORMS

British and German Reports of Battles Near Kut-el-Amara Are in Direct Conflict as to Outcome.

THY MORNING JOURNAL BEACIAL LEASED WIRE. Snow storms for the moment have prought the operations southwest of Riga, where apparently a great general engagement was in the making, almost to a halt, To the south, in the veto. Volhynia, and across the line in Galicia, somewhat spirited isolated for a vote Thursday. Two years ago fights have taken place, but with only the house lacked only four votes of the capture of trench elements, re- the necessary two-thirds majority to spectively, by the Russians and Teu- pass the bill over the veto, the yeas tonic allies reported.

In Rumania, only the most minor

operations are chronicled. On the front in France and Belgium, except on the sector of Hill 304, near Verdun, artillery duels alone have taken place. Near Hill 304 the ing him by more than a two-thirds artillery bombardments on both sides majority, but the house fell short and no person, association or corpo- have been rather severe and grenade a dozen votes. fighting also has taken place. Sevcral French attacks against the German defenses in this region Sunday broke down with heavy casualties, adcording to Berlin.

> Contradictory Claims. While Berlin says the British, in week, suffered heavy losses, and in

Saturday and Sunday the Britishers ramental purposes only.

"Section 2. Until otherwise pro- in attacks gained complete possession

Representatives of the entente al-

Among the wessels which Berlin for a second and subsequent violation officially announces have been sunk

CAUSES WILSON

TO USE VETO ON **EXCLUSION BILL**

Fate as Three of Its Predecessors; Is Alleged to Be Unfair in Provisions.

PRESIDENT EXPRESSES SINCERE DISAPPOINTMENT

Would Approve Measure, Much of Which He Regards as Desirable, Were Injustices Eliminated.

THY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE Washington, Jan. 29.-Today Presibill passed recently by congress, because of its literacy test provision. It was the second time that President Wilson had vetoed an immigra-On a roll call, the motion to tion bill because of the literacy test, Cleveland and Taft. The president's

> Literacy Test Wrong. cases one of the chief opportunities sought by the immigrant in coming to the United States and our experience in the past has not been that the il-

rant is as such an un-igrant. Tests of qual-pose cannot be objected but tests of opportun-

be.

Other Danger.

ven if this test might sisted on, one of the

proper immigration officer or to the secretary of labor that they are seeking admission to the United States to avoid religious persecution in the country of their last normalization and the front in Macedonia tion of the literacy test 'all aliens who country of their last permanent resigovernmental regulations that dis-criminate against the alien or the race off the Irish coast by either a mine

ligious faith.' Such a provision so applied and administered would oblige the officer concerned in effect to pass judgment upon the laws and practices of a foreign government and declare that they The London war office reports the redid or did not constitute religious per-secution. This would, to say the least, be a most invidious function for an administrative officer of this govern-ment to perform, and it is not only possible but probable that very serious questions of international justice and comity would arise between this government and the government or gov-ernments thus officially condemned condemned should its exercise be adopted.
"I dare say that these consequences were not in the minds of the proponents of this provision but the provision separately and in itself renders it unwise for me to give my assent to this legislation in its present form."

Hope to Override Veto, When the message was read in the house it was ordered to lie on the table until Thursday morning and champions of the bill began laying their plans for an effort to override nounced tonight that he would move

When President Taft vetoed a sim ilar measure because of the literacy test, the senate succeeded in overrid-

The bill which the president vetoed today passed the house last March by a vote of 308 to 87, and the senate in December, 64 to 7.

WILSON TO CONSIDER CLERKS' PAY INCREASE

MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE Washington, Jan. 29.—President Wilson went to the capitol again today for conferences with members of the senate and house on his legislative program.

The president was told by Representative Sims, of the house commerce committee, that it would be impossible to secure favorable action in the house on Mr. Wilson's original pro-

gram for railroad legislation.

W. H. Wadhams, of the executive committee of the League to Enforce Peace, told the president that the organization supported his recent peace address to the senate.

Mr. Wilson, discussing pay increases

FRENCH CAPTURE MORE TRENCHES AT VERDUN FROM CROWN PRINCE

Immigration Bill Suffers Same British Carry Out Successful Administration's Budget Call-Operations North of Somme and Take Enemy Positions, Is Report.

TEUTONS ARE SEVERELY BEATEN BY RUSSIANS

Battles for Kut-el-Amara Continue With Varying Results: English Auxiliary Cruiser Is

Between Les Eparges and the Cadent Wilson vetoed the immigration lonne trench, north of Verdun, the French have curried out a successing elements of trenches from the than \$51,000,000 for coast defenses troops of the German crown prince pleted its 1918 naval appropriation of the same reason similar measNorth of the river Somme, near Le bill, with a total of more than \$351. ures were given vetoes by Presidents Trans Loya, the British in attacks have captured trenches from the third element of the program, still is Germans and carried out successful in the house military committee. raids near Neuville St. Vaast and which is expected to complete it next week. Estimates for the army reach however, when a message was received from the senate that the identical measure introduced in that body had been passed. A few minutes later Mr. Gonzales moved a but I cannot rid myself of the conviction of four German air. the destruction of four German air- terials, a radical change in the policy of the planes and the driving down, damaged, of another.

ered a vicious attack, which resulted of the Russians. Berlin admits withdrawal of the Teutonic forces along the Golden Bystritza river in this re-

the legislative power of the state in exceptions proposed to its application a commission to be composed of one involves a provision which might lead member from each judicial district to very delicate and hazardous situations.

Artillery on Italian Front.

The British auxiliary cruiser Lau-

cently near Kut-el-Amara. Declare Grain Embargo. has declared an embargo on all grain January 31. The

shipments, whether billed locally or

JUDGE NEBLETT OF SILVER CITY GETS JUDGESHIP

to Senate as Nominee for on the four authorized last year. Successor to Late William TEXAS INTRODUCES

DRNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE] Washington, Jan. 29.-Colin Neb lett, of Silver City, N. M., was nominated by President Wilson today as nated by President Wilson today as senate today by Senator O. S. Latti-United States district judge of New more, of Fort Worth. Mexico. 14:

New Mexico judicial district, with will need only a majority vote and its headquarters in Silver City, appointed to the federal bench of New Mexico today, was born July 6, 1875, in Brunswick county, Virginia, He received his early education in the public schools of that county and in Bethel Military academy, at Warren. Bethel Military academy, at Warren-town, Va. He took his degree as a bachelor of laws from Washington bachelor of laws from Washington to Hot Springs, Ark., with eighty ad-and Lee university and in 1898 went ditional patients from Deming, N. M., to New Mexico.

at Silver City, Judge Neblett became

by the governor.

BILL CARRYING \$51,000,000 NOW THROUGH HOUSE

ing for Outlay of \$800,-000,000 for National Defense Taking Final Shape.

BOTH NAVY AND ARMY EXPENDITURES GIGANTIC

Daniels Likely to Get Measure Through for \$351,433,245 in Order to Protect America From Attack by Water.

[BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE] began to take final shape in congress today when the house passed the forti-

To Recall Scott and Wood. The only other military legislation ending is the universal military pending is On the Bukowina-Rumanian front, mittee, which will conclude its hearbetween the towns of Jacobeni and lings this week, when Major Generals Kimpolung, the Russians have delivin the piercing of the line of the statements that federalization of the Teutonic allies over a front of nearly national guard has proved tailure. two miles. Numerous prisoners and It is not expected that congress will considerable booty fell into the hands take any action on the universal train- * RAIDER BELIEVED 700 ing bill at this session.

The naval bill carries \$351,443,245, as against \$313,000,000 gion, saying that it was necessitated in the face of superior Russian forces.

In northwest Russia, on the Rigal each, one battle cruiser at a cost of \$25,178,592.

sector, considerable fighting conlast year. It provides for the con-\$6,746,145 each; fifteen destroyers, at \$1,748,612 each; one destroyer tender, at \$2,808,000; one submarine tender at \$2,199,400, and eighteen 800-tontype submarines, at \$1,434,000

dence, whether such persecution be the British auxiliary cruiser lau- The committee departed from the cape Hatten, Haid, Jan. 29.— to a close with an investigation evidenced by overt acts or by laws or rentic. formerly in the White Star department's recommendations only A vessel, believed to be the Ger- of the alleged peace note "leak." e type of submarines provided As no small coast defense subcriminate against the alien or the race off the Irish coast by either a mine inersibles were authorized last year, the committee raised the limit of men on board the vessel were saved cost for hull and machinery to \$19. In Mesopotamia, the British and 000,000 from \$16,500,000. Depart-Ottoman troops continue their fight ment officials believe all four vessels for the possession of Kut-el-Amara. can be placed with private bidders at that figure. The committee also capture by the British of trenches recommendations that navy yards which the Turks took from them re- be fitted to build large numbers of Atlantic by the German raider, it has ranged a meeting between the Gerture of an additional \$12,000,000 for 29.—The ment is unable to make satisfactory Galveston, Texas, Jan. 23.—The ment is unable to make Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railroad contracts for any vessel in the preceding bill or left over from the preceding make available. moving to the port of Galveston, ef- measure. This would make available a total of \$18,000,000 for equipping

will be enforced against all grain navy yards, For the three scout cruisers still awaiting satisfactory bids, the comfour 6-inch and two 7-inch guns, and quest had come to him through La mittee raised the cost for hull and machinery to \$6,000,000 from \$5,000.

The machine type. She was equipped and that he had told McSweeney the machine type. She was equipped and that he machine type. While the machine type is the machine type. The four arrange the meeting himself. the Scattle Construction company some months ago, at the lower figure, but no other bids were received

Provisions for Annapolis. Another new provision of the bill aises the number of appointments annually at Annapolis to be made from the enlisted personnel of the navy from twenty-five to 100. Appointments may be made whenever vacan-

ries occur.

The new battleships will be the most powerful war vessels ever built. They will have a speed of twentybeing 261 and the nays 136. The attempt having failed in the house, no President Wilson Sends Name batteries of twelve 16-inch guns each, instead of the eight 16-inch guns

SUFFRAGE MEASURE

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WINE)

Austin, Tex., Jan. 29.—A bill which would permit women to vote in all Texas primaries was introduced in the As the state constitution leaves to the legislature the decision as to how Judge Colin Neblett, of the Sixth elections shall be held, the measure

the medical department's hospital train. The train continued from here and El Paso, who will be placed in Entering into the practice of law the general army and navy hospital,

territorial legislature in 1905. In 1907
he was elected county superintendent of schools, until 1912.

United Workers Request Review,
Washington, Jan. 29.—The United Workers of America's request for superintendent of schools, until 1912. preme court review of proceedings by Mr. Wilson, discussing pay increases for government clerks throughout the country with a committee from the federal employes' union, promittee to give serious and friendly by the served by a judge to be appointed to the state's district bench at the first New Mexico of trict bench at the fi vent trial of the suits in Arkansas.

The Day in Congress

Met at noon

Resumed debate on Indian appro-

Philadelphia officials urged retention of pneumay mail tube service before postoffing wittee. Adjourned 5:

HOUSE DESCRIPTION AND ADDRESS OF THE PROPERTY Ways and means committee report-

ed the new tevenue bill, embodying ax on excess profits, increased in-

heritance tax and bond issue. Military and naval committees continued framing annual preparedness

Supply bills.
Passed fortifications appropriation bill, carrying \$51,000,000. Received President Wilson's veto Burnett, of immigration committee unnounced he would move Thursday

to repass the measure.

GENERAL WALTER LONG IS KILLED IN ACTION

[BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WISE]

London, Jan. 29. — Brig. Gen.
Walter Long, who has been mentioned in dispatches twice in the present European war, was killed in action Sat-urday. The general was a son of Walter Hume Long, member of parlia-ment and president of the aerial gov-Washington, Jan. 29.—The adminis-ment and president of the aerial gov-tration's \$800,000,000 defense budget erhment board in the late Asquich

GERMAN RAIDER CHANGES COLORS

Survivors of Steamers Destroyed Say Vessel Is Well Armed and Commanded by Daring and Able Officer.

MILES OFF NEW YORK *

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 29 -- Wireless warnings from entente warships received here tonight told ?

The supposed raider was seen a president's peace note, of · chant ships were cautioned * against approaching this point.

* SEEN CRUISING OFF

Cape Haitien, Haiti, Jan. 29,man raider, is reported to have * * been cruising off Monte Christi, * Domingo Saturday,

information gleaned from survivors of concealed torpedo tubes.

decks space giving accommodations meeting ever took place. for many passengers.

The captain of the raider according to some of the men brought here. Mr. White's friendship with Lawson informed a captured British officer during the period prior to the publithat he was not interested in passen- cation of the note. He developed ger boats. He sought only cargo boats, that the two frequently met in New he said, as he had no accommodations York, but White would not admit that for women and children. The raider they discussed the stock market specfrequently was repainted and had on ulation and the effect that the war board sufficient material completely and peace situation would have on to change her appearance.

There is disagreement among the the market, "except in general terms." There is disagreement among the men landed here as to whether the business associations with Mr. Mcthe raider is armored. All of them agree, however, that the raider is thoroughly equipped and that no detail in this respect has been over looked. As an example, they say, each largely social and that he had leaned prisoner on boarding the raider is fur- backward insofar as seeking favors blanket.

Prisoners Closely Guarded.

also given a Christmas present made 1914.

by German girls. After December 12 the raider worked southwest toward Pernambuco, her the banker a statement that the Fedmost daring feat being the capture of the British collier Minieh, which had taken a lease for a year and a half of her rope fenders still over her sides. At 10 o'clock on the morning of Jan- Mr. Fisk admitted that he had suguary 12 the raider placed 237 persons from the sunken steamers on board the Japanese steamer Hudson Maru, without an accompanying prize crew. The Japanese captain was ordered to follow the raider until 6 o'clock in the

survivors were brought into Pernamhands of a clever man.

WITNESSES DENY LAWSON: PROBE

Financier Flatly Denies Ever Having Boasted of Influence With Secretary of Treasury McAdoo.

PLINEY FISK TELLS OF RENTING OFFICES

Bernstorff's Name Figures Again in Investigation, but Purpose of Whipple's Questions Is Not Disclosed.

INY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WINE New York, Jan. 29 .- Some of the most sensational charges of Thomas W. Lawson, made in testifying recently in the house rules committee "leak" investigation, were vehemently denied today by Pliney Fisk and Archibald S. White, two widely known New York financiers, when they appeared here

before the congressional inquisitors. Mr. Fisk, named by Lawson as the banker member of an alleged trio composed of a cabinet member, Secretary McAdoo, a member of congress, known as "Senator O.," and a banker, who had a joint account in Wall street, declared emphatically that no

such combination ever existed. White, who was declared by Lawson to have told him that Fisk had boasted to him that he controlled Secretary McAdoo, and had offered to call the secretary from his bed by telephone at 1:30 o'clock in the morning to prove his assertion, insisted that Law-

son was "romancing." Probe to End Soon As a result of this denial, committeemen tonight expressed the belief that the length of the hearings here had been shortened materially. Some said they would close within three or of the presence of a supposed * four days, if unexpected developments German rulder in intitude 40 * do not arise. Examination of certain north, longitude 60 west, which & stock exchange records for thirteen would be 700 miles off New York. . days preceding the sending of the in this position January 19. Mer- * bankers and brokers regarding general financial conditions during this period and further examination of Barney Baruch, a "short seller," and a few minor witnesses, is expected to SAN DOMINGO SATURDAY * bring the end here. The committee now is intending to bring the inquiry to a close with an inve

Bernstorff's Name Appears The name of Count von Bernstorff * on the north coast of Santo * was again brought into the inquiry today in questions put to Mr. White, but · with what purpose was not made * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * | known. Sherman L. Whipple, counsel Pernambuco, Brazil, Jan. 29.-From for the committee, wanted to know if just prior to the publication of the steamers sunk recently in the south president's note, Mr. White had arbeen learned the raider was a vessel man ambassador and Lawson. Mr. of the merchant type, about 300 feet White, after saying that he had frelong and with parts of her sides move- quently entertained Bernstorff at his able. She had two telescope masts, home here and that they were friends two telescope funnels, a false hand of long standing, testified that Lawson steering gear on the poop-deck, which had sought to have him arrange a concealed her largest gun and four meeting with the ambassador, but that the request had been made at least a . The steamer, it is said, mounted year and a half ago. He said the refour 6-inch and two 7-inch guns, and quest had come to him through Lawalso smaller guns, including several of son's "confidential man, McSweeney," with ventilators and was of the fruit arrange the meeting himself. White carrying type of boat, her between- said he did not know whether the

> Met Lawson Frequently. Mr. Whipple inquired closely into

nished with a kit, hammock and from the secretary was concerned. The last business dealing he had with Mr. McAdoo was in connection The prisoners are kept in the hold between iron doors. Enemy prisoners, worth of securities which, he said. it was stated, were allowed an hour the secretary left with the firm of daily for exercise, while neutrals, who Harvey Fisk & Sons for disposal when wore white bands on their sleeve, he became a cabinet member. This were granted greater liberties, and account was closed on January 15,

Lease of Building.

Mr. Whipple, however, elicited from offices owned by the banker's firm. gested to the secretary that the Oifices were well adapted to the use of the bank, but said this suggestion had been made "weeks before the lease was executed."

The committee then called the evening, when he was to turn west manager of the Fisk office building. and put into the nearest port. The Kenyon B. Conger, who recited the negotiations for the lease, He said orders were obeyed and the hungry he had made an offer of the offices Quoting a captured British captain to the Federal Reserve bank, which the raider is a dangerous boat in the was at first declined, but later an agreement was reached which led to